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For: SYSTEM FOR, AND METHOD OF, HEATING

A BIOLOGICAL SITE IN A PATIENT'S BODY

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Examiner: K. Helling

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated December 28, 2009, for which a response was due on March 28, 2010. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a 3-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to June 28, 2010. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Pending Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.